

# REPORTS MADE AS TO VOTING

Roosevelt, Taft, Sherman, Bryan And Kern  
All Cast Their Ballots Early:

## VOTE HEAVY IN NEW YORK STATE

Good Election Weather Reported All Over The Country.  
Except In Some Portions Of The South--  
Heavy Voting In Milwaukee.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, Nov. 3.—Reports from all sections of the country show that unusual interest is being taken in today's election. The weather has been exceptionally fine and the vote is very large, in many cases much in excess of the vote of four years ago.  
**Straight Tickets**  
Reports of men watching the polls show that the voting is practically straight, as the time taken is remarkably short for split tickets to be voted. Both National Chairman Mack of the Democratic and Hitchcock of the Republican claim all the disputed states, including New York, Ohio and Indiana, and Mack even makes claims on Wisconsin.  
**President Votes**  
Oyster Bay, N. Y., Nov. 3.—President Roosevelt reached the polling place at 11:20 a. m. and cast ballot No. 14. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., deposited the next ballot. After voting the President and son drove to Sagamore Hill.  
**Leave for Home**  
President and Mrs. Roosevelt left here on a special train at 11:04 for Washington.  
**Taft Votes**  
Cincinnati, O., Nov. 3.—William H. Taft cast his ballot today, taking but a few moments to do so. He was given an ovation at the polling place.  
**Four Shermons**  
Utica, N. Y., Nov. 3.—James S. Sherman, accompanied by his three sons, went to the election booth in the third district of the seventh ward this morning and voted. As he was leaving Sherman suggested that at least four straight republican votes had been cast.  
**Bryan Votes**  
Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—Bryan was out early today looking over a mass of telegrams received from different parts of the country giving assurance of a Democratic victory, and at 10:45 drove in a dog cart to Holla's grocery store, in the little village of Norwalk, where he cast his vote.  
**Bryan Ahead**  
Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3.—Bryan's precinct is running more than two to one in his favor, the vote at noon standing: Bryan, 51; Taft, 23.  
**Kern Votes**  
Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 3.—John W. Kern reached here at eight o'clock this morning on his return from his speaking tour in Ohio. Later accompanied by his small son "Billie" he went to the polling place and registered his vote.

**In New York State**  
New York, Nov. 3.—Throughout the upstate counties the conditions today are favorable for polling the full vote. In the larger cities the early voting was unusually heavy where the voting machines are in use. The fact was demonstrated that there was much scratching of tickets.  
**At Albany** four republican election workers were arrested early on warrants on the charge of buying votes.  
**Ideal Weather**  
Chicago, Nov. 3.—The early morning Associated Press dispatches show that, excepting showers in some of the northern states, ideal weather prevails over the entire country today, and the heavy vote which usually accompanies such conditions was again forthcoming.  
**With rare exceptions** the early morning poll had either equalled or exceeded that cast in previous years, and there is every indication today's total vote will surpass that of 1904 by many thousands wherever there has been semblance of a contest between the two leading parties.  
**In this city** at many precincts 25 per cent of the vote was cast by 7 o'clock. Much scattering is reported.

**Heavy Split**  
The general tone of the dispatches from all over Illinois is that the state will go for the republican national ticket, but that Deane is being heavily scratched.  
**Late Reports**  
Chicago, Nov. 3.—Later reports merely accentuated the early dispatches of the weather conditions and the fact that early voting indications all point to an exceptionally heavy vote and the brief space of time spent by most of the electors in the voting booths is generally taken as a sign of comparatively few split tickets.

**Heavy Votes**  
In many cities and towns fifty per cent of the vote had been cast by noon. Little or no trouble has been reported anywhere and but few arrests for fraudulent voting or other misdemeanors were made.  
**Very Heavy**  
Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 3.—Milwaukee is doing its share in the great election which is in progress over the entire nation today. It is reported that the voting in the city as well as in the country precincts is considerably heavier than four years ago. It is also reported that the morning vote is much heavier than the morning vote of four years ago.

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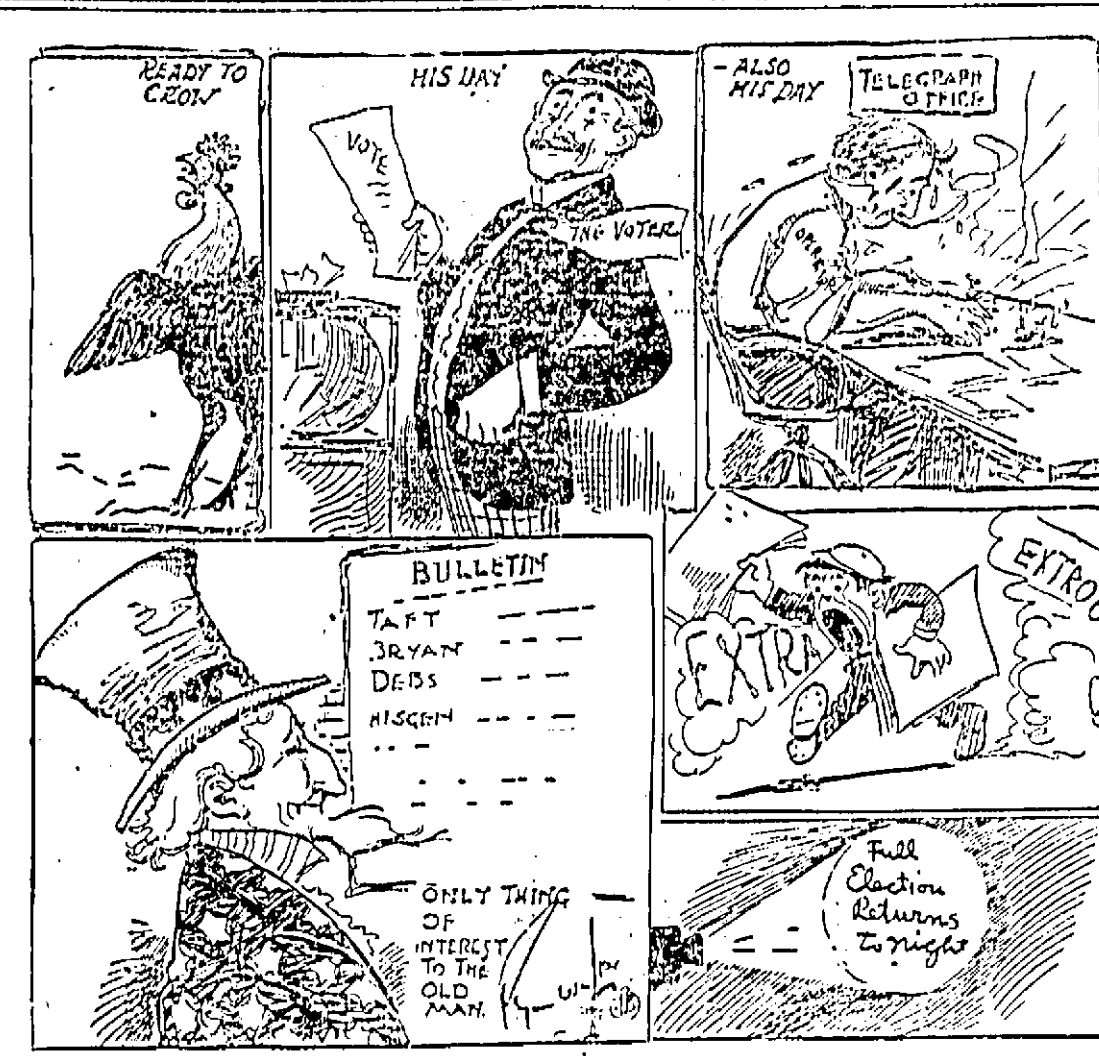
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Superior, Wis., Nov. 3.—The first hunting accident of the season in Douglas county has occurred and has cost the life of Valentine Czaplicki, a lad 20 years of age, and a resident of this city. Valentine with Joseph Ignasiak were returning from a hunting expedition and were near the outskirts of the city when the accident happened. The boy was walking behind his companion who is about ten years his senior. For some reason Ignasiak stopped to put a bullet in his Winchester and while doing so the hammer fell discharging the rifle. The cartridge entered the boy's left side breaking a rib which pierced the lining of the abdominal cavity.  
**Sentence Corporation.**  
The first time that a corporation of Douglas county has been sentenced to the workhouse occurred yesterday when the Lake Nebagamon Ice company was given its choice between such an imprisonment and paying a \$25 fine for selling ice by false scales. The sentence was pronounced in municipal court by Judge F. S. Parker. It is improbable that the corporation or any of its representatives will go to jail as the court can collect the fine by writ of execution against the property. The law provides that there shall be a full sentence, however, in the event that the fine is not paid and Judge Parker includes this in his sentence. It is expected that the fine will be paid.  
**Work on Big Cut.**  
Within another two weeks the Wisconsin Central will have its permanent tracks laid under the Great Northern line and over the Northern Pacific yards at Stinson Avenue. The Central has been working at the big cut to fill it for over six months and almost all of the earth has been moved. There are only a few hundred yards left directly under the Great Northern line to be moved before the work of laying the tracks can be started. The southbound and machine shops at Central yards are now under roof and will soon be entirely completed. The tracks in the yards are nearly completed and with the present facilities nearly a thousand cars could be handled.

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## News From The Suburbs

### JOHNSTOWN.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Carr of Janesville were Friday guests of local relatives.

Mrs. John Clark and little Donald of Richmond were Friday guests at J. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Zull of Whitewater visited their mother, Mrs. C. Wood last Wednesday.

Glenn Austin has been enjoying a week's vacation with his family at the residence of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGowan and daughter expect to move this week to their new home near Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Godfrey are having some decided improvements made in the interior of their residence.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mawhinney, Jr., have their new residence nearly completed.

Mrs. T. H. Gitzman and Amelia Hoyer of Arkon are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. Hurlbut and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cogswell, Margaret and Doris, were Sunday visitors with relatives in the northern part of the town.

Miss Mary Ryan of Whitewater is spending Mrs. James Hurlbut with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Craig visited Sunday at Wm. Holden's in Harmony.

Mr. C. Craig enjoyed a visit from his sister, Mrs. Margaret Piper of Palmyra last week.

E. Austin had a new Do Laval separator put into his cream house.

**MAGNOLIA CORNERS.**  
Magnolia Corners, Nov. 2.—G. H. Howard was in this vicinity Thursday buying hogs.

Pete Quary entertained corn shredders Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lottay Sherwood of Janesville spent Wednesday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Willie Murray.

Mrs. Leonard Andrews visited relatives and friends the past week.

Mr. Cassius Howard of Madison was a local visitor Saturday.

Hallowe'en pranks were much in evidence around our burg.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Post and children who have been spending some time in this place returned home Sunday accompanied by the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Man.

P. H. Meely was home over Sunday. A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harnack Sunday to remind their son Ernest of his twentieth birthday. All report a good time.

A. J. Quisler of Evansville spent Sunday with Miss Nellie Meely.

A number of friends spent Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. A. Scott. Miss Minnie Edwards was home over Sunday.

Misses Lizzie and Francis Mau entertained a number of friends Saturday evening.

A large crowd attended the Richardson and Acheson Sale Friday, Oct. 30.

Mr. Bert Townsend of Dakota has been visiting relatives and friends the past week.

Miss Nellie Meely's school closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dora Mable entertained a number of friends Sunday.

Mrs. S. Jamison is much better at this writing.

**ROCK.**  
Rock, Nov. 2.—The farmers have been working out their road taxes in this vicinity the past week.

Ed. Podewell has returned from a visit with relatives in Milwaukee.

Mr. William Shoemaker and son of Barkers Corners was in this vicinity last Monday buying stock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flayler have sold their farm and have moved to their home in Janesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gammon of Broadhead are visiting their niece, Mrs. Will Atkinson this week.

O. F. Nelson has raised his home and has dug a cellar which is an improvement to his home.

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Our rural carrier, Mr. Hill, who has been confined to his home by a broken rib, is able to be on duty again.

Mrs. Arthur Case and daughter of Clinton are the guests of relatives here.

Mr. George Gray of Janesville visited his parents Sunday afternoon.

Leonard Kellgren and family and Frank Reed leave next Tuesday for Texas. Most of those young people will be missed in this community where they have lived so long. Best wishes go with them to their new home.

**NEW GLARUS.**  
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DAILY.

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H. H. BLISS.

Business Mgr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 2nd day of November, 1908.

GILBERT P. MILLER.

(Seal) Notary Public.

My commission expires July 11, 1909.

WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and cooler tonight and Wednesday.

COST OF LIVING.

The statement is frequently made

that the cost of living has increased

all the way from 25 to 50 per cent

during the past few years, and the

tariff and untold combines are held

responsible. People like to believe

that they are misused and the man

who sympathizes with them has no

difficulty in finding a following.

"God's patient poor," as a phrase

which appeals to the masses, and so

the cost of living is a topic in which

they are interested and when this

item of expense increases the conclusion

is easily reached that somebody

is responsible and as the responsibility

is too large to be carried by a

single individual, the party in power

is held accountable.

The fact is overlooked that ten

years of unparalleled prosperity has

changed conditions and among the

important changes is the standard of

living. The question of economy no

longer enters into the program, and

wants have taken the place of needs

to such large extent that luxuries have

become necessities in the average

home.

The average family lives 50 per

cent better than they did ten years

ago. They wear better clothes be-

cause they have more money to spend,

and the whole standard of living is

on a higher plane. Many items which

would have been considered extrava-

gant, under the old regime, are indis-

pensable today.

Many men with moderate incomes

own automobiles, who would have con-

sidered a \$50 livery bill out of the

question a few years ago, and so all

along the line, wants and not needs

are made the basis for expenditure.

An example of the enormous sums

which the American people spend an-

nually on luxuries is shown by the

statement in the current number of

the Confectioners' and Bakers' Ga-

zette to the effect that the wholesale

value of the candy output in the

United States for the current year will

He forgot that the stork can stop and Ohio was much nearer than Nebraska.

It is certain that one of two bills will be elected and it looks as though the Bill this time has a last name of Taft.

This evening the citizens of Janesville can have the pleasure of knowing who is elected without waiting for tomorrow's paper by watching the Gazette bulletin.

The question of making the Rock river navigable is a subject that comes before the Twilight club in a few days and is interesting to every business man in the city.

Plans for a county fair next year in Janesville have assumed proportions now that betoken a speedy realization of the project.

The polls do not close today until seven, so of course you have time to vote if you have not done so yet.

Now that election is so nearly over let us all pitch in and bring prosperity back with a jump.

The man who failed to vote today has no license to kick.

Campaign buttons will be at a discount tomorrow.

Ohio, New York and Indiana will be watched closely today.

If you have not voted, why not?

All done but the shouting.

Comparative Content

It seemed to me that my life was vain, and the prize not worth the toil, till I chanced to look at a man in pain, nursing a large red ball, I sat me down by my dear to mourn, and pity myself a while; and a woman passed with an aching arm, and she looked at me with a smile, I went one day to the waiting place, to weep for a perished hope, and a cripple passed with a sunny face, a-bawling his scented soap. And I said to myself: "You blamed old chump, no reason have you to sigh; it's wicked to weep while the others hump, nor wait till the gazette roll by!"—(Emporia (Kan.) Gazette.

Think of it

Do not let or shrink

Do not let or shrink

But just think out your work

And work out your think.

—Marion County (Mo.) Herald.

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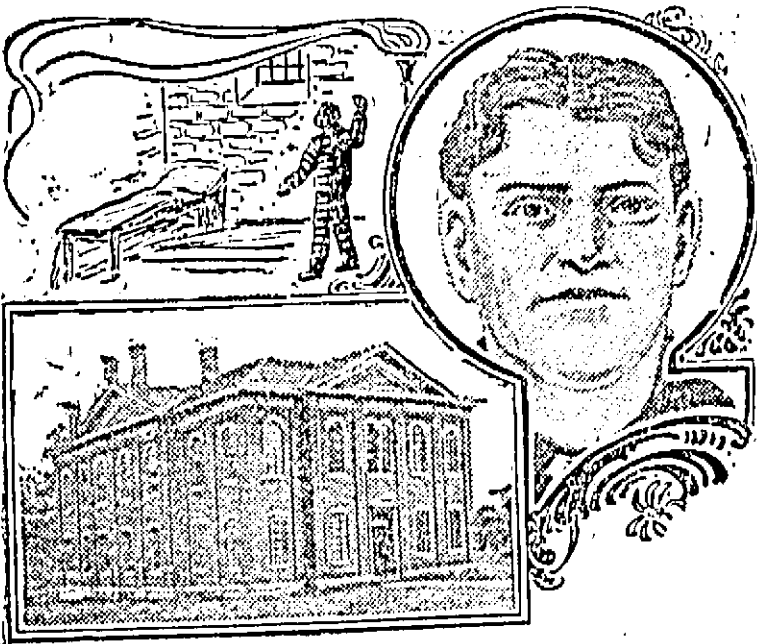
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THE MOST UNHAPPY OF ALL DEFEATED PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES, M. R. PRESTON, SOCIALIST LABOR CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY OF THE UNITED STATES, AND HIS PRISON AT CARSON CITY, NEVADA, WHERE HE SPENDS ELECTION DAY, NOT EVEN ABLE TO CAST HIS OWN VOTE.

Carson City, Nev.—Sitting quietly in his cell, the Socialist Labor candidate for the presidency of the United States, M. R. Preston, smiles away his time, awaiting the fates which have made him on the one side the recipient of the highest honor and on the other side discouraged and disgraced. Whether Mr. Preston is right or wrongly imprisoned is a matter of less moment than the fact that he is spending his days in the state's prison.

It will be remembered that Mr. Preston was convicted on a charge of homicide and for this reason he declined the honor of leadership, but the party gave him an enthusiastic invitation to remain on the ticket and he did so. Of course, even if elected, he could not take the presidential chair, but knowing, as they did, the utter hopelessness of a Socialist Labor candidate winning this year, this made little difference to the party, who has upheld and defended Preston throughout his trial and which now honors him as a martyr.

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"I've heard," said a lady, "that Dr. Richards' findings come out."

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If you will cast aside prejudices, and hearsay ideas, and let Dr. Richards have a chance, you will find like scores and hundreds of people, that

His work is good work, and not the least about it, is the fact that

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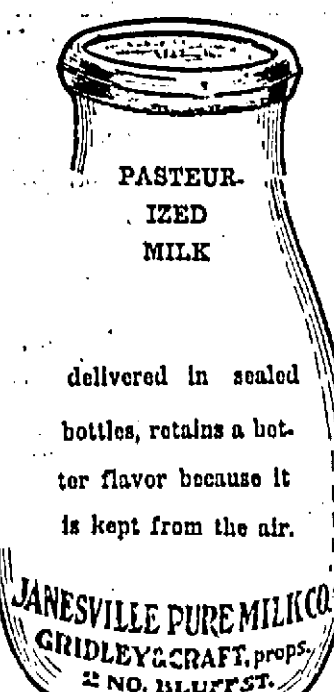
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The Gambler's Prayer.

"I have met men connected with the turf who were evidently men of prayer, earnest, intense and unceasing, but their prayer was: 'Give me this day my brother's daily bread.'"

—said Canon Harty, in an address on "Horrors of Gambling"—London Daily Mail.

One Form of Wisdom Unsought.

I would rather be ignorant than when in the forbidding of evil.—Aeschylus.

**THERETURNS ARE TO BE RECEIVED VERY PROMPTLY**

POLLS IN THE EAST CLOSE EARLY—SERVICE WILL BE QUICK.

**FLASHED ONTO SCREEN**

No Delay in Announcing the Results to the Public in Front of the Gazette Office.

In view of the fact that the polls in the east, particularly New York state, close early in the forenoon, the results from these states should be known promptly in Janesville. According to arrangements the Associated Press bulletins will begin to arrive shortly after four and at six the Postal Telegraph Company's wires will be in operation with direct service from the main office in Chicago.

The Postal wires run directly into the office and will be received without any further delay than the time necessary to take them from the wires. They will be promptly thrown onto the screen, which will be located across the street from the office, giving the spectators an excellent opportunity to watch the reports closely.

Both New York and Ohio will be among the first states from which any authentic statements will come, and as both have been claimed by the democratic and republican campaign managers their results will practically decide the whole election. Persons watching the reports will remember that the City of New York will go democratic, but that Bryan must go to the Harlem river in an overwhelming majority in order to carry the state. The New York city reports will be the first in and the upstate vote, which is normally republican, will be later.

In order that the editorial force of the Gazette may handle this extraordinary pressure of work promptly and properly the public is requested not to call up the office and ask for election returns before 11:30 o'clock at the earliest. Calls on election business cannot be handled before that time. The returns will be flashed onto the big screen outside the office and the public is cordially invited to witness them.

It is suggested that those who contemplate watching the reports come supplied with warm clothing as it will be late before the final results will begin to appear and the certainty of the election for one candidate or the other be assured.

**YOUNG HERO SAVES LIVES OF FAMILY**

Robert Slawson Awakens Family When He Discovers Fire in House at One This Morning.

Awakened by smoke which filled the house, eleven-year-old Robert Slawson roused his father and sisters early this morning and then, at first only in his night gown, ran two blocks to the fire alarm box and turned in the alarm. The blaze, which was discovered this morning about one o'clock in the home of W. E. Slawson at No. 55 Fourth avenue, started in the kitchen and the smoke filled the house so densely that it is doubtful whether any of the family would have escaped suffocation if they had not been awakened just when they were.

The damage from the fire amounts to about twenty dollars, but the damage caused by the smoke will more than double this amount.

**ORLAND FORD HAS NOT BEEN FOUND**

Fifteen-year-old Youth Has Been Missing Since Wednesday Evening.

Orland Ford, the fifteen-year-old son of Mrs. W. A. Huntley of No. 4 Emmett street, has been missing since last Wednesday evening and no trace of his whereabouts has as yet been discovered. It was thought at first that he might have gone to Montana, where he has relatives, but he has not been heard from there. He was last seen by his mother in the bus near the St. Paul passenger station at about five o'clock last Wednesday evening. He has been working during the summer and while so doing fell in with a man from Chicago, who was also working in boats and who tried to persuade him to go to Chicago to work. It is now believed by his relatives that he may have come to Chicago in the hope of obtaining work there.

**LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.**

Children's Coats. Archie Rold's, Solway—burn it as you do hard coal. Special sale of children's coats and school dresses this week at T. P. Burns.

Lyman Morse wishes to announce that he has again resumed business at his old location and will be pleased to see his old friends and customers. St. Mary's Court 175 will give a card party and luncheon at Central hall Friday afternoon, Nov. 6. All ladies are cordially invited.

Sample our rich dupes silks and velvets at Archie Rold's.

Now fall and winter fancy vesting goods in stripes and fancy patterns suitable for tailored waists, special at 45c yard. T. P. Burns.

Closing out, rummage sale Wednesday, N. Main St.

The Athens class will hold its first regular meeting of the year at the public library Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at 2:30 p. m.

A place to save money buying your underwear and winter dry goods. Archie Rold's.

Now sample velvet suits at Archie Rold's.

W. C. T. U. Meeting: A meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Mayhew V. London at her home on North High street, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

**DELEGATES TO THE MINING CONGRESS**

Mayor Heddles Has Named A. A. Jackson and G. G. Sutherland to Represent City at Pittsburgh.

Mayor S. H. Heddles, together with the heads of all the other important cities of this country, the governors of the states, the President of the United States, and all the potentates of the civilized world, has resolved an invitation to appoint delegates to the 11th annual session of the American Mining Congress which is to be held at Pittsburgh, December 2 to 5, inclusive. Creditable for two representatives were sent to the head of the local municipal government and he has named Atty. A. A. Jackson and Atty. George G. Sutherland. Mr. Jackson has already sketched his intention of attending the congress. One of the main questions to be discussed will be the conservation of mineral resources.

**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.**

Opening Exercises: At the high school this morning during the opening exercises Prof. Rahr spoke to the school on the history of the political parties of the day. He traced the rise and development which has resulted in the two main political parties of the present day.

E. F. O. Caves Social: Following their regular meeting at the West Side hall last evening, members of the Equitable Fraternal Union enjoyed a social and banquet. At the game of chess Mrs. Frank Storm won the ladies' first prize and Mrs. James Scott the consolation; Fred Schmidt, the gentlemen's first; and J. L. Harper, the consolation.

Wedding Announcement: The belated announcement of the wedding of Miss Rose Dolan and John V. Mosher at the Catholic parsonage in Madison on Sept. 25, comes as a surprise to their many friends in this city.

Penstock Put Up: The penstock at the power house has been put up and a crew are at work unloading the crushed rock between the Five Points and the depot. The work that is being done at the depot and in the yards must all be completed by the twelfth of the month is the orders that have been received by the foremen who are in charge of the workmen.

Building Killed: A building belonging to Thos. Rowland, foreman of the construction crews working in the Northwestern yards, was struck Sunday and killed by train number 501 which arrives here at 11:45.

The Kegonsa Trophy: The Kegonsa trophy, a handsome silver loving cup hung up by J. F. Sweeney in 1906 for chess.

The Kegonsa trophy, a handsome silver loving cup hung up by J. F. Sweeney in 1906 for chess. The inscription shows that it was won by J. F. Sweeney's "Lady Dick" in 1906; by A. S. Sime's "Ske-do" in 1907; and by Mr. Sweeney's craft again in 1908.

Horse Reported Missing: Frank Urdin, who lives near Afton, emerged from the William Leitz saloon on West Milwaukee street about ten o'clock last night to discover that a bay mare and red-gingered top-buggy which he claims to have left hitched in front of the place were missing. The police searched until after midnight but were unable to find any trace of the outfit. No further details regarding the property were relayed by the officers up to noon today.

Bagged 45 Ducks: Clerk of Court Jesse Carlo, J. D. Brownell, Roy Peterson, Harry Nowlin, and Frank Lambert returned yesterday afternoon from Lake Koshkonong, where they enjoyed some good hunting, with the Carleton club lodge as headquarters. The party bagged bluebirds, teal, mallards, and butterbills, numbering 45 in all, and 8 jacksnipe. Louis Skewlen came back today.

Mr. Paul-Willing of Footville shredded corn for Mr. William Wells, two and one-half miles west of Footville. He shredded 29 acres in 29 hours which yielded 61 big loads of good, sound corn. The machine ran good and husked the corn very clean.

**OBITUARY.**

Patrick J. Cantwell

The funeral of Patrick J. Campbell will be held on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock from St. Mary's church.

Edward Sowles

The funeral of Edward Sowles will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the house on North Bluff street. The Rev. J. H. Tippett will officiate.

Mildred Karl

Mildred Karl, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Karl of No. 129 Washington street, died this morning at 2:10 at the home of her parents.

The funeral will be held at 2:30 tomorrow from the house. The Rev. C. J. Koerner will officiate.

Miss Minnie Tews

Funeral services for the late Miss Minnie Tews, who had been a nurse at the Mercy hospital for three years, and who passed away last Thursday, were held at the home of Emil Panitz on Galena street at nine o'clock Sunday morning and at the Lutheran church in Janesville at half-past eleven o'clock. Rev. Mr. Wenzel officiating. There were many beautiful floral offerings from the host of sorrowing friends who are left to mourn her untimely death. The interment took place in the Plymouth cemetery. Miss Tews was born July 6, 1878, in the town of Plymouth. Her father, Fred Tews; four brothers, Fred, Charles, Emil, and Max Tews; and two sisters, Agnes and Mildred Tews, survive her.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We desire to thank all friends for the kindness, sympathy and aid extended during the sickness and after the death of our loving daughter and sister Minnie. Also for the beautiful flowers.

FRED TEWS, Sr., FRED CHAS., AGNES, EMIL, MAX and MILDRED TEWS.

Attention, Catholic Knights

You are requested to meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday night, Nov. 3d, at 7:30 o'clock to make arrangements to attend funeral of our late brother Patrick Campbell.

CHAS. VINNY, Pres.

**THREWARDS IN CITY SHOW VOTE WILL BE LARGE**

FIRST, FOURTH AND THIRD INDICATE BIG INCREASE.

**RETURNS PROMPTLY MADE**

Use of Machines Will Make the Report of the Inspectors Easy This Year.

There were a hundred votes cast in the third ward this morning before seven o'clock and before noon the three-hundred mark had been passed. In the fourth the vote was also exceedingly heavy and a total of seven hundred was indicated if the early vote can be counted as a criterion. In the first the vote was also very steady and showed it will be heavy. The second was slightly behind the score of four years ago and in the fifth just a hundred behind the score of four years ago. In the fifth just a hundred had been reached at noon with some two hundred and fifty odd more to be heard from before the polls close at seven this evening.

According to the impression of the inspectors, judging by the time the voters took in the booth the average voter was voting the straight ticket. This was true in the first, second, fourth and third, where it was but a few seconds that any voter was in the booth. In the fifth, however, split tickets seem to be in order and more time was taken by all the voters than in the other wards. The inspectors in all five of the wards were of the impression that the questions at the top of the ticket were being neglected, many forgetting to vote for them. Vigorous for both democratic and republican managers, were busy all day rushing delinquent voters to the polls and many voters were sworn in, having failed to register on the different registry days. Blanks for this purpose were in all the polling places and the names of two freeholders being all that was necessary to have the vote counted. There were, however, but few of those that had any difficulty and the majority were brought to the polls with papers all ready.

The vote should be speedily known tonight, owing to the fact that the machines are in use. The total vote will be recorded as fast as it is cast and the inspectors will only have to read the totals off when the polls close at seven this evening. Between six and seven it is expected the heaviest voting will be done.

Vote in 1904.

The total vote cast by the city of Janesville in the presidential election of 1904 was 2,629, distributed among the various wards as follows:

1st Ward—525.  
2nd Ward—439.  
3rd Ward—431.  
4th Ward—622.  
5th Ward—522.

The 1st Ward gave Roosevelt 351 and Parker 121. The 2nd Ward gave Roosevelt 250 and Parker 115. The result in the 3rd Ward was: Roosevelt 469, Parker 118; in the 4th Ward: Roosevelt 357, Parker 267; in the 5th Ward: Roosevelt 141, Parker 192. At half past two o'clock this afternoon the Third ward had cast 456 votes and the First had cast 321.

Ireland's Mineral Wealth.

Gold, silver and lead mines are, it is said, to be worked extensively in the black district of Louth, County of Down, Ireland, overlooking the Atlantic.

Rock and Rye.

Many a man has been wrecked on the rock of adversity, but there is generally a little rye on the side.—Philadelphia Record.

Buy It in Janesville.

**AT THE Big Sanitary Grocery**

1-quart can delicious sweet pickles, 25c.  
1-quart can queen olives 30c.  
Sweet midgifs, 40c qt.  
Sour, sweet and dill pickles.  
Pure sweet cider, 30c gal.  
Strictly pure home made mince meat, 15c lb.  
Fresh Ground Horse Radish, 10c glass.  
Home made peanut butter, 15c glass.  
Hunts health biscuit.  
Peanut wafers, something fine.  
Brenner Bros' fruit cake.  
Exp. apricots and peaches, 10c lb.  
Malaga, tokay and N. Y. concord grapes.  
New figs and dates.  
New white clover honey, 15c lb.  
8 lbs. Jersey sweet potatoes 25c.  
N. Y. Greenings, 25c pk.  
Red, yellow and white onions  
Rhubarb and white turnips 20c pk.  
Extra fine Hubbard squash.

**TAYLOR BROS.**

Phones 398-3981.  
215-217 W. MILW. ST.

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Geo. Clark is out again after a three weeks' illness.

Yesterday Mrs. Charles Spencer entertained a few friends in honor of the 15th birthday of Mrs. C. A. Swan. John McElroy is the guest of his brother, Horace McElroy, for a few days.

J. C. Reed of Beloit was in Janesville today.

J. G. Monahan was in Janesville a short time this morning on his way home from Beloit where he addressed a big political meeting last night.

Mrs. A. P. Burnham leaves tomorrow for Milwaukee.

Mrs. Orlin Danvers of Edgerton spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Mary Woodstock.

Mrs. Geo. Slocum and family returned to their home in Scranton, Pa. Friday.

Hugh M. Craig departed for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, this afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Cuddeback is entertaining her father and mother of Monroe, Frank Barbas and family have moved on Chas. Rensler's farm.

E. J. Hart of Edgerton is in the city on business.

William J. Houghton of Albany and J. H. Houghton of Broadhead were in the city last evening.

D. K. Jeffris was here from Chicago this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wheelock and daughter of Rockford made an automobile trip to Janesville on Sunday.

Harry Horn of the Chicago Journal and advertising department left this morning for the metropolis after a few days' visit with local relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conrad of Chicago came here Sunday to attend the funeral of little Helen Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kent are expected home today from a visit with a daughter at Huron, S. D.

Mrs. Tra Fisher and son have departed for Dr. Tilla's farm in the western part of the state, where the latter will resume his treatments for pulmonary tuberculosis.

John Slightam is in Madison today. Brown Fleck was overtaken by a severe attack of heart trouble last evening and removed to his home.

Mrs. H. S. McMillin and daughter, Miss Helen McMillin, left last night for a visit in Mason City, Ia.

O. E. Meyer was a visitor at the Dr. Tilla "sanitarium" yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor P. Richardson have returned from a visit in Madison.

The Messrs. Marjorie and Charlotte Mount entertained twelve young ladies at one o'clock luncheon today in honor of Miss Elizabeth Wilcox. The afternoon was spent in playing bridge.

Otto Mahdison of Stoughton was in the city last night.

J. Linwood of Edgerton was in the city today.

Mrs. Zoellner, advance agent of "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," is here from New York City.

Daniel Dunwiddie of Monroe was the guest of local relatives yesterday. Lester Dunlap has returned from an extended trip through the west.

**HOUGHTON-HIGGINS WEDDING AT EIGHT**

Ceremony Performed at St. Patrick's Church by Dean Kelly This Morning.

At eight o'clock this morning Dean E. E. Kelly united in marriage Miss Nellie Houghton and John W. Higgins at St. Patrick's church. The bride was attended by Miss Katherine Driscoll as bridesmaid and James Soltberger acted as best man.

The happy couple left this morning at 10:30 for St. Paul for a ten-day wedding trip. On their return they will make their home on Galena street.

The bride is a popular and well known young lady of this city and the groom is an engineer on the Mineral Point division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road.

A crowd of friends of the happy couple showered them with congratulations and rice at the depot this morning as they left for their trip.

Little Whalebone Now Taken.

The amount of whalebone taken annually does not now much exceed 25,000 pounds. The largest part of this is taken by the whalers sailing out of ports on the Pacific coast. A few years ago the amount taken was as much as 500,000 pounds annually.

Want ads, bring results.

**Fresh H. G. Spinach 10c lb.**

Wax Beans, 20c lb.  
Cucumbers, 10c.  
Dwarf Celery, 13c bunch.  
Ripe Tomatoes, 2 lbs. 25c.  
Leaf Lettuce, 5c.  
Rutabagas, Squash, Pumpkin, Cabbage and Onions.

**Grapes**

Fancy Catawbas, 4-lb. bsk. 20c.  
Imported White Grapes, 15c lb.  
Fancy Large Tokays, 2 lbs. 25c.  
New Chestnuts and Hickory Nuts.  
Eating Pears, 10c, 20c and 40c dozen.  
Grapefruit, large, fancy, 3 for 25c.

**Apples**

Fine lot Tallman Sweeties. None so good for baking, 40c peck.  
Spitzenbergs, 45c pk.  
Nice Jonathans, 55c pk.  
20 cts. Kings, and Pippins, 40c peck.  
Greenings, 30c peck.  
Extra fine firm Cranberries.

**DEDRICK BROS.****HAPHAZARD CLUB AT LINE CITY TODAY**

Mrs. George Martin Entertains Twelve Ladies at Her Home in Beloit.

Today Mrs. George Martin of Beloit entertained the members of the Haphazard Club at her home in the Line City. A dozen ladies, members, attended the affair which was held in place of the regular meeting at the home of one of the members. The line was made over the International line and those who went were as follows: Mrs. J. H. Nicholson, Mrs. Chas. Rice, Mrs. H. W. Lee, Mrs. E. E. Willihart, Mrs. Wm. Jones, Mrs. J. H. Humphrey, Mrs. A. Graham Galbraith, Mrs. Younghouse, Mrs. Emily Clark, Mrs. R. C. Inman, Mrs. G. H. Russell and Mrs. Wm. Miller.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our mother, and to those who contributed the beautiful floral offerings.

JOE WRIGHT, M. O. ANDERSON, F. L. DAVIS, J. E. C. R. WML, JAS. and FRED WRIGHT and FAMILIES.

Epileptic Fit: James Ryan, who lives over Lady's shop above, was taken with an epileptic fit this morning while eating breakfast at Connelley's restaurant. He was taken to the police station until he was somewhat recovered.

Offices Closed: All county offices were closed during the day.

The Rock County National Bank has purchased the entire issue of Janesville City Bonds amounting to \$45,000, and offer them to investors with confidence that they are the very best security that can be had. The bonds draw interest at 4 per cent, are in denominations of \$500 and run from two to nineteen years.

**PICNIC HAMS 5c LB.**

SWIFT'S JERSEY BUTTER 17c LB.

DILL PICKLES 10c DOZ.

WHITE CLOVER HONEY 15c LB.

5 LBS. MO-JA COFFEE \$1.00

JELL-O, ALL FLAVORS, 5c PKG.

3 PKGS. MACARONI 25c

RED SALMON 15c LB.

3 PKGS. MINCE MEAT 25c

E. R. WINSLOW

20 NORTH MAIN ST.

Phone—New 647, old 3321.

**NOLAN BROS.**

Special sale on White Lily Flour, a strictly high grade patent, for tomorrow only, \$1.35 sack.

Fancy Tokay Grapes 10c lb.

Cranberries 10c qt., 3 for 25c.

Fancy N. Y. Greening Apples 30c peck.

Fancy N. Y. King Apples 45c peck.

Fancy Baldwin Apples, 40c peck.

Fancy hard Holland Cabbage 5c head.

Red or Yellow Onions, 20c peck, 75c bu.

Extra Fancy Bananas, 20c dz.

Whole Codfish 10c lb.

Fancy Prunes 10c lb.

Choice New Crop Apricots,







**Makes the Mercury Climb**

Alaska outside—Florida inside. When the blizzard comes it will be impossible to comfortably heat the cold rooms. Then, and during the months of "between seasons" you'll find a

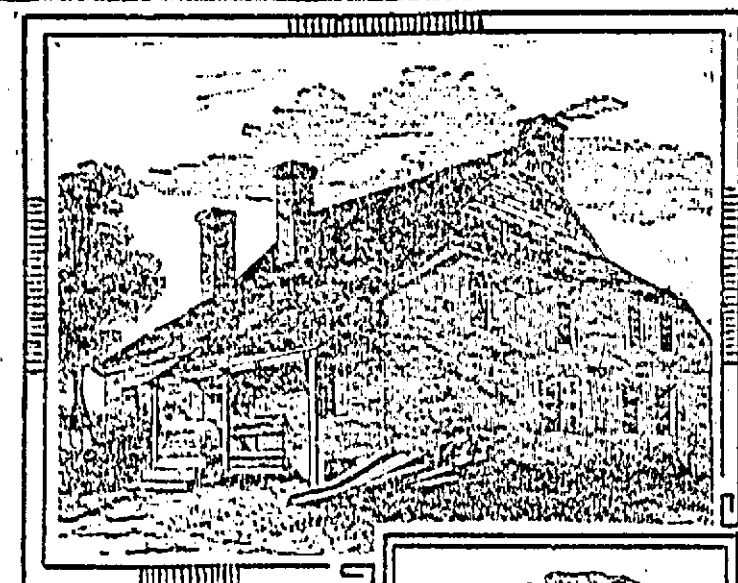
**PERFECTION Oil Heater**

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

just what you need to make the mercury climb. It's light enough to carry from room to room and gives direct glowing heat from every drop of fuel. Turn the wick high or low, there's no bother—no smoke—no smell—smokeless device prevents. Brass oil font holds 4 quarts burning 9 hours. Superbly finished in Japan and nickel. Every heater warranted.

**The Rayo Lamp** makes a good companion for a long evening—Lullaby, steady light, reading, sewing or fancy work doesn't tire the eyes. Made of brass, nickel plated, with latest improved central disk burner. Every lamp warranted. Write our nearest agency for descriptive circular if your dealer doesn't carry the Perfection Oil Heater or Rayo Lamp.

**STANDARD OIL COMPANY (Incorporated)**



JAMES K. FOLK AND HIS BIRTHPLACE, MECKLENBURG COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA.

James K. Folk, eleventh president of the United States, was born in Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, 113 years ago today. He was graduated from the university of North Carolina and at the early age of 23 was admitted to the bar. Three years later he was honored by being elected to the state legislature and before his term had expired he was elected to congress and re-elected continuously until 1839, during which time he served as speaker of the house of representatives one term, by this time his reputation had become such as to warrant his election as governor of Tennessee, and in 1841 he defeated Henry Clay by a majority of 65 electoral votes for president of the United States in the democratic party.

The important feature of his administration was the fixing of the boundaries of Oregon territory and the annexation of Texas, followed by the Mexican war. He was a strong supporter of the democratic opinions, and while not a brilliant orator, his ability, energy and indomitable will enabled him to rise to the front ranks

#### CONGRESSMAN JOHN M. NELSON.

Madison, Wis.—Congressman John M. Nelson, republican, who is leading the fight for reform of the rules of the house of representatives, is serving his second term from the Second district of Wisconsin. He is one of the young members of the house, and is known as one of the ablest and most fearless politicians of Wisconsin, having received his training under Senator La Follette, of whom he is one of the most trusted proteges. Mr. Nelson gave an exhaustive address last week before the City Club of Chicago, showing the historical development of the authority of the speaker until that office is now more powerful for good or evil to the country than is the president himself.

At the last session of congress Mr. Nelson introduced a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee to revise the rules, and followed it with a speech that attracted national attention. The resolution is still pending, and Mr. Nelson will endeavor to have it brought up for action at the next session. Mr. Nelson takes the position that while in European countries the

upper houses of parliament have been subordinated to the people's houses through gradual reforms of procedure, the tendency has been in the opposite direction in this country. The senate is a more liberally governed body than the house; and practically taken the control of the purse of the country, and really whips all bills into practical shape for the house. In his remedies Mr. Nelson urges a decentralization of power in the speaker, the enlargement of the committee on rules, recognition of all members in debate, and the appointment of committees on some other bases, say geographical. The selection of the political leader of the dominant party as speaker is also fruitful of abuses. The speaker should be as impartial as a judge, he says.

Can't Understand It. Many a wife is seriously wondering why her mother-in-law ever thought no woman was good enough for her boy.

Why Is It? Why is it that the woman who is a man's mother-in-law tries to make herself look like a man?

Want ads, bring results.

Why Is It? Why is it that the woman who is a man's mother-in-law tries to make herself look like a man?

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## The Younger Set

By ROBERT W. CHAMBERS.  
Author of "The Fighting Chance," Etc.

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"Which also reminds me—"

"He drew from his breast pocket a

thin, flat box, turned it round and

round and glanced at her, balancing it

teasingly in the palm of his hand.

"Is it for me? Really? Oh, please

don't be provoking! Is it really for

me? Then give it to me this instant!"

He dropped the box into the pink fol-

low of her supple palms. For a

moment she was very busy with the

little paper, then said:

"Oh, it is perfectly sweet of you!"

turning the small book round in heavy

European gold. "Whatever can it be?"

And, rising, she opened it, stepping to

the window so that she could see.

Within, the pages were closely cov-

ered with the initials, careful hand-

writing of her father. It was the first

notebook he ever kept, and Selwyn

had had it bound for her in gold.

For an instant she gazed, breathless,

lips parted. Then slowly she placed

the yellowed pages against her lips

and, turning, looked straight at Sel-

wyn, the splendor of her young eyes

starred with tears.

### Chapter 15

LINE RUTHVEN had not

yet dared tell Selwyn that

her visit to his rooms was

known to her husband.

She was now afraid of

her husband's notice,

afraid of Selwyn's opinion, afraid of

herself most of all, for she understood

herself well enough to realize that if

it became known that she had

condemned herself to the first

and easiest course out of it would be

the course she'd take—wherever it led,

whatever it cost or whoever was in-

volved.

In addition to her dread and excite-

ment, she was deeply chagrined and

unhappy, and although Jack Ruthven

did not again refer to the matter—indeed, appeared to have forgotten it—her

alarm and humiliation remained complete, for Gerald now came and

played and went as he chose, and in

her disconnected cowardice she dared

not do more than plead with Gerald in

secret until she began to find the emotion

consequent upon such intimacy unwise for them both.

Neergard, too, was becoming a fa-

milior figure in her drawing room, and

though at first she detested him, his

And, Austin, we've simply got to be

have in him, you know—on Ellen's

account."

Austin grew angrier and redder.

"Ellen's account? Do you mean her

bank account? It's easy enough to be-

have in him if you inspect his sister's

bank account. Believe in him? Oh,

certainly I do. I believe he's a pup

enough to come sneaking to his sister

to pay for all the fooleries he's en-

gaged in. And I've positively forbid-

den her to draw another check to his

order."

"It's that little bangled whelp Ruth-

ven," said Selwyn between his teeth.

"I warned Gerald most solemnly of

that man, but—" He shrugged his

shoulders and glanced at him at the

luncheon covered furniture and bare

floors. After a moment he looked up.

"The game there is, of course, notori-

ety. I—It matters if it don't stand as

they do—" he finished painfully—"I'd

go straight to Ruthven and find out

whether or not this business could be

stopped."

If Alton had done her best to keep

Gerald away, she appeared to be quite

powerless in the matter; and it was

therefore useless to go to her. Besides,

he had every inclination to avoid her.

He had learned his lesson.

To whom then could he go? Through

whom could he reach Gerald? Through

Nina? Useless. And Gerald had al-

ready defied Austin. Through Neer-

gard, then? But he was on no terms

with Neergard. How could he go to

him? Through Rosamund Fane? At

the thought he made a very face. Any

advances from him she would willfully

misinterpret. And Ruthven? How on

earth could he bring himself to ap-

proach him?

And yet he had promised Ellen to

do what he could. What merit lay in

performing an easy obligation? What

courage was required to keep a prom-

ise easily kept? If he cared anything

for her, if he really cared for Gerald,

he owed them more than effortless ful-

fillment. So first of all, when at length

he had decided, he nerved himself to

strike straight at the center, and with-

in the hour he found Gerald at the

Stuyvesant club.

The boy descended to the visitors'

rooms, Selwyn's card in his hand and

disturbance written on every feature. And

at Selwyn's first frank and friendly

words he reddened to the temples and

checked him.

"I won't listen," he said. "They—"

Austin and—everybody has been

putting you up to this until I'm tired

of it. Do they think I'm a baby? Do

they suppose I don't know enough to

take care of myself? Are they trying

to make me ridiculous? I tell you

they'd better let me alone. My friends

are my friends, and I won't listen to

any criticism of them, and that settles

it."

"Oh, I know perfectly well that you

dislike Neergard. I don't, and that's

the difference."

"I'm not speaking of Mr. Neergard."

Gerald, I'm only trying to tell you

what this man Ruthven really is do-

ing."

"What do I care what he is doing?"

cried Gerald angrily. "And, anyway,

it isn't likely I'd come to you to find

out anything about Mrs. Ruthven's

second husband."

Selwyn rose, very white and still.

After a moment he drew a quiet



## ARMY OF VOTERS EARLY AT POLLS

HEAVY BALLOTING IS RULE ALL  
OVER COUNTRY.

NEITHER SIDE GIVING UP

Eyes of the Nation Are Turned  
Toward New York, Indiana  
and Other Crucial  
States.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Fair and mild weather over most of the country brought out an early and heavy vote in nearly every state in the union Tuesday. In many of the states interest in the result of the fight for the presidency was almost or quite equalled by interest in the gubernatorial contests.

Citizens of states where the outcome was not in doubt turned their attention to those upon whose votes the issue depended, and all day the bulletins were scanned for some indication of the result of the great national struggle.

The leaders of the Taft and Bryan forces still claimed victory for their respective candidates up to the time of closing the polls, and the candidates themselves each seemed confident of being elected to succeed President Roosevelt.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—All indications early Tuesday pointed to the polling of the largest vote ever recorded in a presidential election. When the polls opened in every city, town, village and hamlet in the United States, the crowds began to flock to the booths in larger numbers than ever before, according to dispatches from all over the country.

While the polling of an exceptionally large vote was in a measure due to the warm struggle between William H. Taft and William Jennings Bryan, Republican and Democratic nominees, respectively, for the presidential chair, local and state issues were in the main responsible.

Hot Fight in New York.  
With Lieut. Gov. Chanler and Gov. Charles Hughes opposing each other for the gubernatorial chair on the Democratic and Republican tickets, respectively, the largest early vote in New York state in years was polled. Early elections by referendum for both candidates were of victory.

The Marshall-Watson contest in Indiana drew out an exceptionally big early vote, and the balloting for the governorship was warm. This struggle combined with Democratic Vice-presidential Candidate Kern's effort to carry the state for his party caused the polling of a large vote by both sides.

In Illinois and Michigan.  
Members of Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic candidate for governor of Illinois, claimed that many Republicans were voting for their candidate, but Gov. Benson, the Republican candidate, through his friends denied this and claimed that his victory was assured after the prospects furnished by the early voters.

Lawton H. Homans, Democrat, and Gov. Fred M. Warner, Republican, ran close to each other in the early balloting for the governorship, according to dispatches from Lansing, Mich. Local option formed an issue in many of the smaller towns. Gov. Warner early in the day declared a Republican victory was assured, while Mr. Homans was just as vehement in claims for his party.

Minnesota and Iowa.  
Early voting at St. Paul was taken on a criterion by followers of both J. F. Jacobson and Gov. Johnson, the Republican and Democratic candidates, respectively, for the governorship of Minnesota. A large total vote was polled early and claims were made on both sides.

Iowa presented a maelstrom of political activity early Tuesday, according to word received over the long-distance telephone from Des Moines. Polls in every precinct in towns and cities throughout the state were crowded, and according to indications furnished by the early balloting the struggle was fairly close. The vote was heavy.

PINE BLUFF IN GREAT PERIL.  
Warehouses Fall Into River—Other Buildings Are Tottering.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Nov. 3.—Two large brick cotton warehouses, owned by H. M. Knox and D. S. Bluthenthal, tumbled into the Arkansas river Monday, following the continuous raining in of the banks of the Arkansas river. Hotel Jefferson and the Jefferson county courthouse are in danger of falling into the river. The river continues to cut its way into the heart of the business district and thousands of dollars worth of property is endangered.

Warrants for Night Riders.  
Union City, Tenn., Nov. 3.—Upon the affidavits of James S. Benson, relative of Capt. Quentin Rankin; William Taylor, son of Col. R. Z. Taylor, and J. C. Burdick, owner of the fish docks at Hamburg, which were once destroyed by night riders, 200 state warrants for the arrest of 100 alleged night riders were issued Tuesday by Justice H. Polk.

Four Floors with Derrick.  
Duluth, Minn., Nov. 3.—Four men were injured on the new courthouse Monday. Charles Nichols, foreman, and Fred Mooney, structural worker, cannot survive. The most of a derrick slipped from its socket and the four men fell from the fifth to the first floor.

## BIG PHILADELPHIA FIRE

LUMBER YARDS DESTROYED, THE  
LOSS BEING \$750,000.

Spectacular Blaze Marked by Thrilling  
Incidents—Trains on Pennsylvania  
Railway Are Delayed.

Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—A spectacular fire that was marked by many thrilling incidents destroyed the lumber yards of H. A. & J. J. Williams, in the north-western section of the city Monday night, entailing a loss estimated at \$750,000.

The yard is on a rectangular piece of ground at Glenwood and Sedgwick avenues and Cumberland, York and Twenty-second streets and close beside the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad. As a result of the fierce blaze southern and western trains were held up several hours, causing great inconvenience. A line of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company crosses Glenwood avenue also at the scene of the blaze. This bridge caught fire and the heat warped the rails so that traffic was tied up on the line.

While the fire was in its incipient stage, a fireman, a fireman, drove a chemical engine No. 45 into the yard between the big piles of lumber. The flames and their way around the engine, and Wilkinson and a companion narrowly escaped with their lives. They could not get the apparatus away from the flames and both horses were burned to death. Wilkinson was seriously burned trying to save the animals. It is believed the fire was of incendiary origin.

## Link and Pin

Northwestern Road.  
Engineer Wilson relieved Engineer J. M. Smith on 588 and 595 today.

Engineer Birch and Fireman dead-headed home on 319 last night.

Fireman Zackler hurt his knee coming up from Chicago on a freight and he and Engineer Miller dead-headed home.

Engine 740 was up from Beloit Sunday for repairs.

Engineer Townsend has been assigned to the night switch engine. Engineer Crowley, who has been working on it went on the extra board.

E. Storm is dispatching nights.

Engine 17 came down on 578 double-head, going to the Chicago shops.

Engine 217 has been turned over to the Madison division here.

Engine 177 was held in the house for repairs. Engine 217 took its place on 513 and 514.

Fireman Bier took the south end way freight yesterday. Fireman Dawson, who has been working on it went on the extra board.

Chas. Starritt has returned to work after a two days' lay-off. Engineer Reed, who relieved him has gone on the extra board.

Engineer Schoenberg and Fireman R. Smith went south on 598 last night on account of crowd resting.

Engine 1148 has been turned over to the Wisconsin division by the Northern Wisconsin division and goes into the house for repairs.

Conductor Lowry and the crew which brought down engine 1148 dead-headed back to Fond du Lac.

Engineers Backbush and Bushnell dead-headed to Fond du Lac this morning. They will return this evening.

Engineer Schaefer is relieving Engineer Clark on 510 with Conductor Leahy.

Engineer Meyer and Fireman McDonnell went out on number 55 this morning.

Engineer Wilkinson and Fireman Duxstad went out on number 91.

Switch engine 1078 is in the house for repairs. Engine 1030 is taking its place.

Engineer Cornelius is working on switch engine 1020 today.

Engineer Brown and Fireman Lulek went out on number 194 this morning.

Fireman Clarke is relieving Fireman Enkligh on 101, 105, and 110.

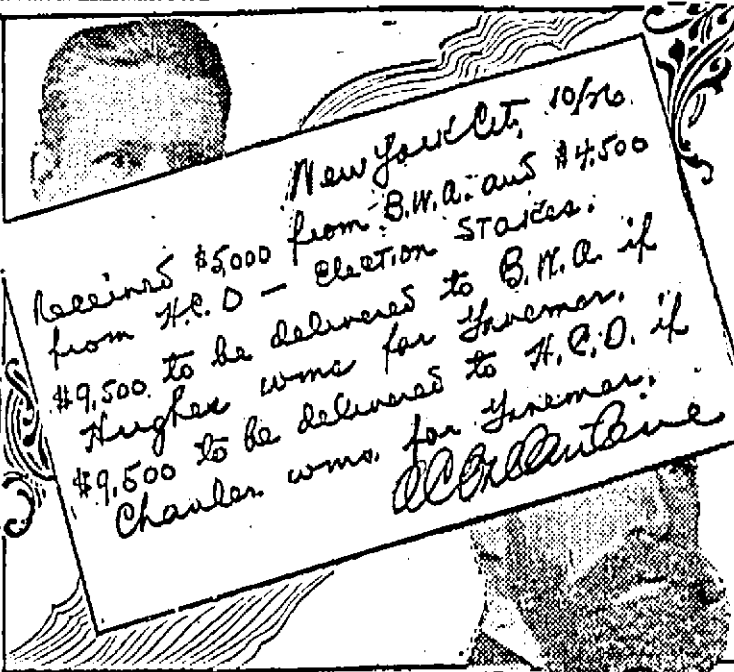
Engineer Walte and Fireman Hope with engine 1700 went out on first 166 last night.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.  
GENTLEMEN—H. Ahrensmeier, Fay C. Aldrich, L. M. Hinkle, Jesse Grandall, "Chas," 255 E. 2nd St., Lesslie Cooper, Mich. Delleflore, Louis Earlwein, H. D. Hertel, Charlie Grassl, Steve Grant, E. M. Hodges, Clarence Hollquist, Frank Hunt (3), Willie Harris, Arthur H. Haley, Andrew Ingle, John Johnson, Rev. Jas. M. Lavender, Arch McCormack, Frank Morehead, John McDermott, Wm. McDermott, Jack Mesher, Mark O'Malley, Louie Pierce, Chas. Prommer, D. K. Roid, S. W. Timmons, John Wirth, W. J. Wilke.

LADIES—Miss Gladys Andrews, Mrs. Laura Beasley, Mrs. Della Campbell, Miss Annie Carlson, Mrs. Guggen, Mrs. Frank Hunt, Mrs. J. H. Hanford, Miss Minnie Johnson, Miss Maggie Lenz, Mrs. Robert Markman, Ella W. Peck, Miss Ethel Reetz, Mrs. J. H. Richards, Miss Mary Ralston, Miss Laura Kelley, Mrs. Clara Schultz, Mrs. Strelight, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson.

C. L. VALENTINE, P. M.  
Advised November 3, 1908.

No Loss on Eggs.  
In a restaurant, a customer tastes a boiled egg and makes a way face, which leaves a doubt about the egg's freshness. "Walter," he cried, "how long do you keep your eggs?" "Until they are eaten, sir!"



ELECTION WAGERS IN NEW YORK CITY.  
New York City.—The biggest election bet of the campaign in the Wall street district has been made by two prominent members of the stock exchange. The bet is \$5,000 to \$1,500 and refers to the New York governorship. The banker of Governor Hughes put up the \$5,000 stake and the banker of the democratic nominee, Chandler, put up the small end of the bargain. Another bet reported in the same district is \$2,000 against \$1,000 in favor of Hughes. The differences in the odds of the two votes accentuates the fact that sentiment is not at all reflected by the betting here, since the public betting market on the curb was put out of business by the anti-betting bill.



WE HAVE on exhibition a magnificent chest of sterling silver—a complete table service in the famous Newbury Pattern. The various articles are so classified that they can be shown without confusion or loss of time. Each individual piece of a dozen is clearly displayed. This affords the only convenient and satisfactory way of examining silver. You can rummage showcases half a day and not bring to light half so many varied and attractive pieces as you will see in five minutes' time running through this complete chest of Newbury silver, which contains an extensive array of the smaller pieces so much in demand for anniversaries, weddings, and birthdays. Orders accepted for complete chests or individual pieces.

Sterling Tea Spoon, like illustration, \$1.00.  
Any piece of the Newbury Sterling pattern makes a very artistic wedding gift.

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## Illuminated Floral Decorated Teplitz Vases

Teplitz Vases are made in Austria—and have been generally sold to jobbers only—Recently the importers had a display of these vases in Chicago from which I made a purchase and have saved 33 per cent. These Vases are noted for their richness of color; are of excellent faience bodies, pitcher and vase shapes, shaded light yellow to brown, shaded ivory to light green, matt finish flower and scroll enbossings, gold outline, Venetian and Egyptian handles, gold decorated, gold traced, glazed inside, four-foot base, really artistic and beautiful pieces.

We know of nothing more appropriate for gifts of all occasions.

A selection of Vases as above, 8 in. high, at 25c	
10 inches high	50c
11 inches high	90c
12 inches high	\$1.25
13 inches high	\$1.75
15 inches high	\$2.00

We feel that the description given does not do justice and to be fully appreciated they should be seen. The prices quoted are fully 30 per cent lower than they could be sold for had I not bought them direct from the importers.

Hinterscheid's  
121-123 W. Milwaukee St.

SHEE MUSIC 10c—The popular hits received this week are Rainbow, Are You Sincere, Sacramento. Now pieces received every Wednesday.

## YOUNG PEOPLE HAD MERRY MASK SOCIAL

Young People's Society of the Congregational Church Had a Very Enjoyable Social in Church Last Evening.

Last evening at the Congregational church the young people of the Young People's society and their friends held a mask (Hallowe'en) social. There were a great number of masks each one different from the others, and representing Indian girls, Scottish girls, ghosts, skeletons, witches, Japanese girls, Punch and Judy, Infantryman, captain of the cavalry, fat and thin men and women, fishermen and comic and a great many other comical costumes and disguises. A gypsy fortune teller had a booth in one corner of the room and she held forth here for the benefit and amusement of the young folks. It is said that her surmises and predictions were generally correct. The social time was begun with a grand march, which was followed by Hallowe'en games and amusements. Light refreshments were served. The interior of the room was appropriately decorated for the occasion, illumination being furnished by numerous Jack o'lanterns and candles.

ITALIANS FOUGHT OVER  
A NEW COOKING OUTFIT

Police Were Called to North-Western Yards Last Night—Ringleaders Spent Night in Jail.

Glorie Agostino, one of the Italian laborers employed in the North-Western yards, decided last evening to withdraw from a corporation of six which had purchased a cooking outfit.

At. An angry discussion as to how much he should get for his share of stock arose and Agostino proceeded to kick the outfit to pieces. David Chiglin was much incensed at this act of vandalism and proceeded to attack Mr. Agostino, presently retiring from the conflict with a black eye and other injuries. It is alleged that the big fellow also drew a gun during the progress of the melee but this was not fully substantiated when the patrol wagon arrived on the scene about 10 o'clock. The two ringleaders in the battle were detained at the lock-up over night and released this morning.

One Marked Difference.  
"Pray as you enter," is a sign outside a Chicago church. And, unlike the new cars, the church presumably serves everybody a seat.

## LET US TELL YOU SOMETHING ABOUT HOUSE-CLEANING

We will clean your entire house—carpets, rugs, curtains and all by our Vacuum Cleaner, a machine which draws all dust, dirt, vermin, etc. In order to use this vacuum cleaner you must connect it with your electric light socket, so if you have electric light in your house (direct current) you need never bother again to take up your carpets and rugs. We clean them right on the floor at a cost not to exceed the regular prices charged by the old methods. We do clean carpets at our rug factory, but we always advise using the Vacuum Cleaner where possible because it is so economical and does the work without taking up the carpets and turning everything upside down.

YOU SHOULD USE THIS MODERN METHOD OF HOUSE CLEANING  
BECAUSE it preserves the carpets and rugs and adds to their beauty and durability.  
BECAUSE it removes germs, moths, and insects as well as dust and dirt.  
BECAUSE it is the only DUSTLESS SYSTEM in existence.  
BECAUSE it is well known carpets and rugs are a great absorber of disease and should be kept perfectly clean and not merely brushed or beaten.  
BECAUSE there is no ripping or tearing, and the finest carpets, rugs or fabrics can be cleaned with absolutely no harm to them.  
BECAUSE health really depends upon purity and sweetness of air.  
The medical profession long since recognized the VACUUM method as more healthful, sanitary and convenient than the old-fashioned system, repeatedly pointing out its advantages for home-holders, public buildings, churches, hospitals, hotels, theatres, and every home that has floor covering.  
Our reduced prices places the VACUUM SYSTEM within the reach of all.  
On application from you we will call with the vacuum machine and pump out all the dust that is in your house into receptacles which we carry with us. By this method the dust is not scattered about the room only to be distributed over everything again and inhaled by those in the house as in the old-fashioned way, and the consequence is that houses that are cleaned by this method are more healthful than those cleaned in the old way.  
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Navaho Indian Rugs also on display. Something different in rugdom. These Navaho Rugs are made in patterns similar to the Indian blankets, are bright and cheerful. 27x56, \$3; 30x60, \$3.00; 30x72, \$4.50. Our stock of Rugs, Carpets, Linoleum, Oil Cloth, Mattings is unusually complete now. Prices, quality considered, never lower.

